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CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

RE: Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) Permit Reissuance  
VA0092126, Iluka Resources, Inc. – Hickory Mine Concentrator

Dear Mr. Rideout:

Your VPDES permit is enclosed. As indicated in the fact sheet, the permit has changed; please read the permit carefully because you are responsible for meeting all permit conditions. This permit supersedes the previous VPDES Permit VA0092126 issued to this facility. The first Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) required by this permit for the first quarter of 2013 is due no later than the 10<sup>th</sup> of April 2013. The first DMR for annually monitored parameters is due no later than the 10<sup>th</sup> of January 2014 for the period of January 1- December 31, 2013. If you still have DMR data to report as required by the previous permit, please submit it as an attachment to the first DMR required by this permit. Monitoring results on the DMRs should be reported to the same number of significant digits as are included in the permit limit for the parameter. A hard copy DMR is not enclosed; however, an electronic DMR is available through e-DMR.

As provided by Rule 2A:2 of the Supreme Court of Virginia, you have thirty days from the date of service (the date you actually received this decision or the date it was mailed to you, whichever occurred first) within which to appeal this decision by filing a notice of appeal in accordance with the Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia with the Director, Department of Environmental Quality. In the event that this decision is served on you by mail, three days are added to that period.

Alternatively, any owner under §§ 62.1 - 44.16, 62.1 - 44.17, and 62.1 - 44.19 of the State Water Control Law aggrieved by any action of the State Water Control Board taken without a formal hearing, or by inaction of the Board, may demand in writing a formal hearing of such owner's grievance, provided a petition requesting such hearing is filed with the Board. Said petition must meet the requirements set forth in 9VAC25-230-130 (Procedural Rule No. 1 – Petition for formal hearing). In cases involving actions of the Board, such petition must be filed within thirty days after notice of such action is mailed to such owner by certified mail.

If you have any questions about the permit, please call Janine Howard at (804) 527-5046.

Sincerely,



Curtis J. Linderman, P.E.  
Water Permit Manager

Enclosure: Permit No. VA0092126, Fact Sheet, Fact Sheet Attachments

cc: EPA, Region III-3WP12  
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